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Attorney Docket No. 826.1767 **Application Number** 09/985.768 REPLY/AMENDMENT Filing Date November 6, 2001 FEE TRANSMITTAL Kwame Osei BOATENG First Named Inventor **Group Art Unit** 2825 AMOUNT ENCLOSED 0.00 **Examiner Name** Vuthe Siek FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04) Highest Number CLAIMS AS Claims Remaining Number Previously Paid For Extra **AMENDED** After Amendment Rate Calculations TOTAL CLAIMS X \$ 50.00 =20 = 0 0.00 14 INDEPENDENT X \$ 0.00 =6 = 0 0.00 6 **CLAIMS** Since an Official Action set an original due date of September 4, 2006 (September 2, 2006 occurring on a Saturday), petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160): If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$500.00) If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00) Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00) 0.00 Total of above Calculations = Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28) 0.00 TOTAL FEES DUE = (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0". (2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20". (4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0". (5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3". METHOD OF PAYMENT Check enclosed as payment. Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below. X No payment is enclosed. **GENERAL AUTHORIZATION** 冈 If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to: Deposit Account No. 19-3935 Deposit Account Name STAAS & HALSEY LLP The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under X 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application. SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP Typed Name Reginald D. Lucas Reg. No. 46.883 nea Date Signature ©2005 Staas & Halsey LLP



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For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR TEST-STIMULI COMPACTION

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 2, 2006 and having a period for response set to expire on September 4, 2006, September 2, 2006 occurring on a Saturday.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.